THE WEATHER.
FORECAST FOR NEXT 24 HOURS.
Cloudy.
Cloudy, probably with light snow or rain tonight and Saturday. Slightly warmer; variable winds.

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A No. 1 Coffee, only	19c lb
Fine Tall Cans Salmon,	11c
Fresh Sardines, can,	4c
Prepared Buckwheat, 4½ lb. pkge.,	18c
Cocoa, ¼ lb. cans,	17c
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2 packages imported Macaroni,	25
3 cans Corn,	25
3 cans Peas,	25
4 quarts white Pea Beans,	25
1 lb really good Coffee,	25

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Local News!

STOPPED HIS HORSE.

A Young Man From This City Held Up at Greylock.

Fred Goodrich of this city had an experience on the state road at Greylock Wednesday evening which he does not care to have repeated. He was driving his colt along the road about 10 o'clock when a man stepped from the side of the highway and grasped the horse by the bridle. Mr. Goodrich was almost dumfounded and for a time did not move. The man called for money and was about to turn the horse around when the colt, which is naturally uneasy, made a bite at the man and started. The rascal let go of the horse and in a second Mr. Goodrich was driving rapidly away. It is seldom that such daring takes place in this vicinity.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Following is the program of the entertainment to be given Saturday evening, under the direction of Mr. Briggs, leader of the orchestra:

Overture—O Fair Dove,
Orchestra.
Violin duet,
Harry Tower and Frank Underwood.
Reading—Brier Rose,
Miss Anna Stocking.
Selection,
Orchestra.
Cornet solo,
Eugene Steele.
Reading—The Knight and the Lady,
Miss Stocking.
Selection—The Lord is King.
Orchestra.
Violin solo,
Howard Billings.
Bass solo,
James Hunter.
Selection,
Orchestra.

All the men are invited to come and take lunch.

At Thursday afternoon's meeting of the Woman's auxiliary, they presented the association with a new table.

Thanksgiving day the rooms will be kept open. They will be well heated and everything that will tend to make it pleasant for the members will be had.

A Barn Burned.

Richard O'Hearn's barn on Furnace street was entirely destroyed by fire Thursday evening. The fire alarm broke the stillness of the night at about 10.30 o'clock. The alarm was sent in from Box 7 at the corner of Main and Marshall street. It was some time before the fire companies arrived at the place. Considerable time was lost by the companies who went down Main street. They could not across the bridge and had to go back and down State street. Hose 3 had the first stream on the burning structure, but as the fire had gained much headway attention was directed to keep it from spreading. The barn was partially insured. It was full of hay. The loss will be about $300. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Luther Day.

Luther Day died Thursday at the home of his son, Earl Day, 135 Union street, aged 86 years. His death was due chiefly to old age. He had made his home in this city for the last eight or nine years and the most of his life was spent in this immediate vicinity. His wife died a number of years ago. He leaves two sons and a daughter, Earl and Charles Day and Mrs. Eugenia Smith, all of this city. The funeral will be attended from the house Saturday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock, Rev. Dr. G. W. Brown officiating, and the interment will be at Adams.

A Return Engagement.

Joseph Murphy will play a return engagement at Columbia opera house, Friday evening, the 26th, in "Shan Rhue." This is the play in which Mr. Murphy introduces his famous song, "A Handful of Earth." The company made a decided hit here last month in "Kerry Gow" and in accordance with the demands a return engagement has been secured.

District Court.

The following cases were disposed of in court this morning:

John Conlin, assaulting an officer, case filed away.

William Turnbull, drunkenness, placed on three months probation.

Memorial Service.

The W R C will hold a memorial service in G A R hall Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in memory of Helen A Brigham, past president of the W R C.

GREYLOCK.

Fred Schouler is quite sick with quinsy.

Mrs. John Alched has returned from Philadelphia where she has been to attend the funeral of her mother.

There seems to be much talk and interest taken in the mayoralty contest in this part of the city. As yet there does not seem to be anyone mentioned as candidate for the council from the first ward. Yet it is to be hoped that the candidate will be from the west end of the ward. It is to be hoped that there are not to be any back door preliminary caucuses this year to which invitations will be given for those to be present who are thought desirable by the promoters, as there were last year.

Local News!

ANOTHER HAMER NIGHT

D. J. Barber and L. F. Amidom Fire Hot Shot in St. Jean's Hall.

ADMINISTRATION AND ORGAN

Mr. Barber Devoted His Time and Talent to the Transcript and Mr. Amidon Allowed His Mind to Wander to the Mayor.

The Hamer club held another public meeting Thursday evening in St. Jean Baptiste hall. The meeting was larger than the one held a week ago. The hall was not able to accommodate all who wanted to attend and a large number stood up along the walls. There was considerable enthusiasm and the speaking had the virtue of being frank and bold. Probably not before in the history of this city or town have prominent men of the community been so roughly handled from a public platform. The loudest notes of the meeting were the eulogizing of Mr. Hamer, the condemning of Mayor Houghton personally and the administration and the sharp criticisms of the newspapers that have seen fit to comment adversely on the last meeting.

President Cornelus Wylde was in the chair and made an address. Mr. Wylde's address was an effort in defense of the right to assemble and discuss matters of public interest. The speaker held this right should be granted without the people assembling being subjected to unfair criticism. John Parker occupied a seat on the platform beside the chairman.

The first speaker announced was E. D. Church. Mr. Church preferred to wait and not to make an address at that time. Then F. H. Smith was called on. Mr. Smith had been called on in the first meeting, but was not present. He was present last night and was glad to see so large and enthusiastic a meeting. He thought there was more misrepresentation in the newspapers, but he believes Mr. Hamer would make a model mayor and ought to be given a trial. He has stood in his own shoes. Mr. Smith has attended a council meeting and saw Mr. Hamer the only man to stand up for the right. Mr. Hamer is a broad-minded man, liberal to men of all classes, creeds and color. If the people do their duty he will be nominated Tuesday night and elected triumphantly and will give this city as good a government as there is in Massachusetts.

M. J. Kelly was next called. He said his heart was in the cause and he asked the voters of North Adams to do as they promised to. If Mr. Hamer is elected I think he will show us we have been 15 years behind the times in this city. Mr. Kelly criticised the beginning of public work late in the season and hinted it was *all for election purposes. He said they* should have begun early in the spring and employed citizens on all the jobs. He said the business men got up a petition the other day, but the workingmen were not considered. Who are the business men; can they get along without us? It is time the workingmen took a hand in public affairs. The persons who are now running the city are doing it for their own interests and not ours.

John Bresnahan came forward, although he had a bad cold. He has known Mr. Hamer for 13 years and has known nothing of him but uprightness, truth and honesty. We want a man as mayor to represent the city and we want a council that will recognize a delegation. The present council refused to recognize a labor delegation recently.

D. J. Barber was the next speaker and was received with hearty cheers. He said he was glad he came, for he felt better from the inspiration of the talk he had heard. Mr. Barber hoped the meeting would excuse him if he followed the example of his honor, the mayor, and referred to his notes. Among other things, Mr. Barber said the events of the week were of exceeding interest. Mr. Cady retired from the field as a candidate for mayor and refused to be interviewed. Mr. Kearn and his platform have gone up like a rocket and down like a stick and he refuses to be interviewed. Mr. Hunter has just come upon the stage and we don't know what the future may bring forth. The organ of the administration is afraid if Mr. Hamer is elected mayor that it will be worse than if the world had come to an end. It quotes from its exchanges to show that Boston and other cities are greatly worried over the politics of North Adams. How easy it is to get such items. Its various reporters send out such items and they come back and are quoted as reflecting the sentiment of parties outside. Barnum did that kind of work; his autobiography tells how it was done. Very naturally THE TRANSCRIPT worries. If this administration is succeeded by a better one its occupation is gone, that of extolling His Honor, the mayor, and ridiculing him who is to be His Honor, the mayor. But Mr. Hamer keeps at his work. He favors public improvements though not as they are now conducted. He would have them carried on as the charter decreed. It must be pleasant for a mayor to feel his absolute power to prove the law, the charter and his oath of office, to have the council pass what he recommends and to veto what it dared to ordain without his consent. And the councilman who opposes this is stated to be a disturbing element and a kicker. The official organ calls for the people to sit down on him and save the city from disgrace. Who are the good citizens? Are you included or not, when did you cease to be good citizens? When did you cease to remember the loyalty of your fathers in going to the front when the safety of the government was threatened? When did you lose interest in the public schools in which your children will be educated if they ever are?, When did you lose interest in good roads, you gentlemen who seldom have a chance to ride? When did you cease to have interest in sanitary homes, and when did you cease to care for the condition of the cemeteries in which your kindred sleep? We are not a lawless mob unless in the eyes of the organ. The organ quoted from Lincoln that the good sense of the people can be trusted. It was from the like of you that Abraham Lincoln came and to the like of you he referred when he spoke of the people. From the like of you the honored Garfield came. Then Mr. Barber outlined the history of Pingree, mayor of Detroit and governor of Michigan. It was drawn as a parallel to Mr. Hamer. The points were: A man attacked abused in public life, was chosen by the people as their champion, was oppressed by corporate and money interests, conquered, became mayor and governor.

L. F. Amidon made a long and stirring speech in which he struck right and left to the great amusement and pleasure of his hearers, who yelled they would make him councilman. Mr. Amidon began by saying there must be an issue or he never could be induced to make a speech before a meeting of his townsmen. He felt that he had not got the equivalent for the small amount of taxes that he paid. I have been fooled part of the time, but if I'm fooled all of the time it is my own fault. We are here to help elect an official who will be in close touch with the people. There are two reasons why the present state of things should be overturned, why a man of very large interests should not be mayor. The man of large interests will pay some one for doing the city's work and attend to his own business; he will do public things that will accrue to his own interest. "Oh, no!" they say; "A. C. Hougaton is too high-minded to do that." But I say you can't trust any personality unless it is chained to a principle. Mr. Amidon referred to the inauguration when it was said "We have assembled to organize a business man's government or rather to organize a city government on business principles." "If," said Mr. Amidon, "the present conduct of city affairs is business Lord help us. It is a policy of do and undo." The speaker considered the "violation of the charter" and declared that the violation is broader than the loss of a few hundred dollars, it strikes to the bottom of government. If one section can be violated all the preceeding and succeeding ones can be violated too. "Talk about Tammany! We have had developed with us a machine that is much like Tammany. There isn't a councilman, with one or two exceptions, who dare move unless the boss tells him to. He's got the almightiest grip on them yo ever see." Here are two specimens of Mr. Amidon's flashes: "Lem," said a man to me the other day, "be you going to work for Hamer here in ward one and vote for him." "Yes," I said, "I was." "My Lord, I thought ye knew more than that. Don't ye know that if Hamer was elected he doesn't know enough to write his inaugural address." "That may be says I, but can't he hire somebody like the others?" "I wish I was mayor one minute, I'd use that minute to change the personnell of the board of health.

The meeting adjourned until next Thursday after hearing short addresses from Mr. Dobson and Lawyer Parker.

Children to Be Sold.

There is to be an auction sale of children at the Salvation Army Saturday night when six or seven little children are to be put up for sale. The one whose bid is considered the best and the highest the children are to be sold to. The meeting and sale will be instructive as well as amusing. There is to be an admission at the door to help the local corps. Eagle street, meeting commences at 8 p. m.

Pleasant Whist Party.

Another whist party in the series being given by Div. 10, A. O. H., was given in their hall on Eagle street last night. About 25 tables were played and the prizes were won by Mrs. Jonn Kennedy and Owen Callaghan. After whist refreshments were served and dancing, with music by the Misses Mansfield and prompting by Prof. Mead, was enjoyed.

Broke His Leg.

W. J. Hauser, while working for the city today on a bridge at Greylock, fell 15 feet and broke both bones of his right leg above the ankle. He was removed to the hospital and Dr. Dewey reduced the fracture.

A Sensible Man

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Thanksgiving at Idlewild.

An elaborate dinner will be served at the Idlewild on Thanksgiving day. Parties who wish to avail themselves of this opportunity to have a splendid Thanksgiving dinner at this popular resort will telephone or write Henry C. Savage, South Williamstown, so that preparations may be made to meet parties at the cars with conveyances if so desired.

A few more customers wanted for fresh eggs. WINTERS, 52 Cady street.

Local News!

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

—The W R C will serve their usual supper Saturday evening from 5 to 7 o'clock.

The Democratic caucuses for the purpose of choosing delegates to the municipal convention will be held the 25th.

—It is a little wintry just now, but some of the farmers predict that we shall yet have a week or two of Indian summer.

—The regular meeting of the Friendly society will be omitted next week. The evening will be devoted to the display and sale of pictures and fancy work for the benefit of the piano fund.

—The Thanksgiving day attraction at the Columbia will be Dore Davidson and Ramie Austen in "Guilty Without Crime," one of the strongest melodrames of the day. A special matinee will be given at 2.30 p. m.

—The associates of the Girls' Friendly society will hold an art reception on the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, November 23, at St. John's parish house. The Ladies' Home Journal collection of pictures will be on exhibition and for sale. Admission 10 cents.

—The pool tournament between the Berkshire club of this city and the Colonial club of Adams was continued Thursday evening in the rooms of the former. About 20 members of the Colonial club were present and the playing resulted in a gain of 50 points by the Berkshire club. A spread was served and the visitors returned home in a special car at 11.15 o'clock.

—The chestnut mare which Col. F. S. Richardson has owned for a number of years, and to which he and his wife were greatly attached, met with an accident this morning which necessitated shooting her. She was being driven on Furnace street by James Keegan, an electric lamp trimmer, and she slipped and fell on a patch of ice formed or water used at the fire Thursday night, and which was covered with light snow. Dr. McDonell found that the mare's hip was broken and she was turned over to Mr. Hosley, who shot her and disposed of the carcass.

—Seven deer and antelope of the herd in the Whitney preserve on October mountain at Washington have recently escaped from their enclosure. The gamekeepers on the mountain have been unable to find any trace of the big game. A stage driver at Otis, however, reports that he recently came upon two deer on the Chester-Otis highway. The work of road-building on the Whitney estate has stopped since the snow storm and 25 men have been discharged. All the horses and carts employed on the work have been shipped to Long Island to work Mr. Whitney's place there. The snow is drifted nearly six feet deep in some places on the mountain.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Lewis N. Scriven of Hoosick Falls, N. Y., is visiting in town.

Mrs. Hannah Cross and son, Lewis, of Red Creek, N. Y., are visiting relatives in the city.

Miss Maggie Nealor of Hoosick Falls N. Y., is in this city on a short visit.

Mrs. W. E. Story and daughter Marion of Philadelphia are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Valentine.

John Wall attended a dance in Tumpes Falls Thursday evening.

Col. F. S. Richardson went to Boston today on business.

Herbert D. Rockwell and D. A. Russell went to New York today to spend a few days.

John Robinson Wells of New York and Miss Lillian E. Schmidt will be married at 8.30 o'clock Wednesday evening, November 24, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Frank X. Schmidt, 746 Halsey street, Brooklyn. Mr. Wells is the son of Henry Well, formerly of this city, and is a graduate of Drury high school. Some of his friends here have received invitations to the wedding.

BLACKINTON.

Mrs. R. E. Schouler arrived home Thursday evening, after spending a week in Jersey City, N. J.

Miss Sadie Danks of Westfield is in town to attend the reception in Temperance hall this evening.

Daniel J. Mahoney is under the care of Dr. Galvin, threatened with an attack of pneumonia.

The sidewalk in front of the McConnell property on Main street is undergoing much-needed repairs by the city. The walk is to be curbed and raised about two feet.

The Blackintoon football team will go to Dalton Saturday to play the Daltons.

Tickets for the football game between Williams and Dartmouth, Saturday, on Weston field, are on sale at the Blackinton company's office.

Miss Maud Simmons of Hoosick Falls, N. Y., is the guest of Miss Susan Rickards.

The parochial school recently opened in connection with the Church of the "Holy Family," Greylock, has been discontinued for the present. This will necessitate the moving of a large class to the Blackinton schools, filling the schools here to overflowing for which new rooms will have to be provided.

The North Adams News.

Issued tomorrow morning before breakfast will contain:

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I know not what record of sin awaits me in the other world; but this I do know; that I never was so mean as to despise a man because he was poor, because he was ignorant, or because he was black.
—*John A. Andrew.*

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TO REPEAL THE TAX ON ALCOHOL.

A serious attempt is being made to have the tax on alcohol for use in the arts repealed.

A congressional committee is in session in New York city listening to the arguments of those who favor such a repeal. The committee consists of Senators Platt of Connecticut, Aldrich of Rhode Island and Jones of Arkansas, and Representatives Evans of Kentucky, Russell of Connecticut and McMillin of Tennessee. As an indication of the business enterprises which are interested in this free alcohol question, the fact is cited that there were present at the first meeting of the committee representatives of an insulating company, a turpentine company, a varnish establishment, an electric fuse manufactory, a chemical establishment and a linseed oil mill. The patent medicine houses which use alcohol in their remedies are also interested in the inquiry by the committee.

The advocates of free alcohol for the arts and sciences advance a number of strong arguments. The opening address was made by a representative of the United States Export association, who declared that a repeal of the tax on alcohol used in the arts would cause a reduction in the cost, and consequently in the price to the consumer of the article in the manufacture of which the alcohol is used. Free alcohol would cause grain alcohol to supplant wood alcohol and other cheap substitutes; lowering the cost would enable domestic manufacturers to compete with foreign manufacturers; and by increasing the demand would induce a larger production of alcohol in this country, to the advantage of the producer of corn. This latter argument is a logical expectation warranted by the development of the industries which have been encouraged by wise tariff laws. Protection by a tariff has helped by increasing the volume of enterprise and strengthening the demand for raw material. In this instance, the admission of alcohol free for use in the arts and sciences would cause a multiplication of the number of establishments which use alcohol, and increase the opportunity for manufacturers of grain alcohol on this side of the Atlantic.

One of the main arguments of the opposition to the proposition to admit alcohol free for the arts is that the privilege would lead to great frauds upon the government by collusion on the part of legitimate users of free alcohol and those whose enterprises are not classed with the arts and sciences.

The Republican caucuses are but three days away. Mr. Hunter's friends should remember that fact.

Who has a word to say of James E. Hunter that is not such a word as can well be spoken of a mayor of this city?

Mr. Hamer's friends will find that abuse of good men in a public meeting will not prove profitable argument in the mayoralty campaign.

Attorney General Knowlton believes in football. Mr. Knowlton has his eye on the governorship and evidently wants the best fighters in the state on his side.

Mr. Hunter's friends will conduct a clean and open canvass for their candidate. There will be no abuse in it, and no meetings wherein abuse of Mr. Hamer and his friends will be the chief stock in trade of the speakers.

It is true, as a recent communication to THE TRANSCRIPT suggested, that Mr. Hamer's "wanting to know" is not any sign that Mr. Hamer does know or that he has done anything but criticise. A mayor's work is in doing and not in talking.

Mr. Hunter's candidacy is generally received as being the best possible at this time. His friends are not making so much noise as the other fellows are, but the good judgment of the people of this city may be trusted, and it is not the most thoughtful men who make the loudest demonstration.

A communication in this paper today urges the no-license issue. While we believe the writer to be earnest and sincere, yet the tone of the letter is not that of moderation or even wisdom. Argument and reason alone can win votes, but the writer does remind the public of a very lethargic temperance spirit in the city.

There is needed in the next city council one man at least who is a clear and forcible debater and who knows how to state a proposition as succinctly and definitely as the demonstration of a geometrical proposition. Such a man would be a tower of strength to the administration when right and would clearly show error when it was urged. Would not C. J. Parkhurst be such a man?

New Orleans reports a heavy falling off in the number of cases of yellow fever, and will therefore discontinue the daily bulletins in regard to the progress of the epidemic. Mobile reports three new cases, but the disease will probably disappear with the advance of winter wherever it has been prevalent in the South. The discontinuance of the yellow fever bulletins from New Orleans is undoubtedly prompted by business considerations. The bulletins are looked upon locally as advertisements of the fact that the fever exists in the city, and it is believed that they operate to the injury of business.

There are intimations of strikes to follow the wholesale cut-downs in wages which the shoe manufacturers of Haverhill have instituted. The wage earners in the shoe towns cannot be expected to subsist on nothing. For the past four years, they have hardly been treading a rosy path, any more than workers in other circles. Shoes cost as much today as in the past, and in a few lines they are considerably higher. Cut-down has followed cut-down in wages, but the consumer still pays the same old price. Meanwhile, the prices of necessaries of life are materially higher, while steadier employment is yet the boon for which thousands upon thousands of wage-earners are anxiously looking. Ignoring the croakers, who are never satisfied, and the prosperity bowlers, who are as much of a nuisance and a draw-back in their way as the calamity shouters, the fact remains that present conditions are not of that nature which carries satisfaction.—Salem News.

One of the subjects discussed at the recent meeting of the American Public Health association in Philadelphia is of particular interest to the users of hot-air furnaces, who have just started their furnaces for the winter period of continual service. Dr. Henry J. Barnes of Boston declared that the air breathed in houses heated by furnaces is kept too dry in cold weather. This hot air system takes all of the moisture out of the air as it passes into the house, making the air unfit to breathe and causing catarrh and other disorders. The assailant of the hot-air furnace magnifies its defects to some extent, as all furnaces are provided with evaporating pans which hold at least a pailful of water, and furthermore, the moisture which is taken from the air as it passes through the house has no other means of exit except through the furnace pipes, and the registers in the various rooms. But it is nevertheless a fact that the average user of the hot air furnace keeps the atmosphere of his house too dry through neglect of the evaporating pan; and it is probably true also that the evaporating pans are not as efficacious as they ought to be.

NAMED FOR ASSESSOR.

Republicans Think of Placing W. J. Nichols on Their Ticket.

W. J. Nichols is prominently mentioned as a candidate on the Republican ticket for the office of assessor. A member of the board must be elected in December for a term of three years. Mr. Miller has one more year to serve and Mr. Bartlett is in for two years more. The term of Mr. Ford expires at the end of this municipal year and he will not be a candidate for re-election, his various other duties requiring his whole time.

M. B. Darling, as is known, is already in the field, while there is the utmost confidence in him, there are many who feel that it would be better to select a younger man, as the duties of the office are becoming more arduous every year.

In connection with the office the name of Mr. Nichols is very favorably received. He is a young man of character and capacity, with a good knowledge of figures and business methods. He was for some years bookkeeper in H. T. Cady's shoe factory and is now a member of the firm of W. G. Snyder & Co., coal dealers. There is reason to believe that if the nomination were tendered to him he would accept, and certainly it is not too early for the tax payers to begin to consider the matter of filling this important office.

Calnan's "Hudson Club" cigar, 5c.

MOTHER'S MISTAKE.

North Adams Mothers Often Make Them But With a Little Care There Need Be None.

Many a mother reading this will appreciate the boon the information will bring. Thousands of children have been scolded time and again for a so-called habit when they are not to blame. Wet beds have been the resting place of the little ones night after night and no amount of chiding or scolding could prevent a repetition. If mothers only knew their little boys and girls were not to blame—they cannot help it. It is not a habit; it is simple weak kidneys. At last a preparation has been found so gentle in its action that the youngest child can take it. We refer to Doan's Kidney Pills, and when the public know it there need be nothing but sweet, dry beds for the children and no more need for scolding. Read what an Ansonia, Conn., patient has to say about it.

Mrs. Nellie Dunn of Winter and Fourth streets, Ansonia, say: "I have a little boy 11 years of age that was very much troubled with weak kidneys. When he was six years old he would go in bathing frequently and remain in for a long time. That was when I noticed first any difficulty with his kidneys, but he got so bad that he would wet the bed every night. I have taken him up at 11 o'clock but it would occur two or three times before morning. This caused me any amount of work and I was strong, besides I knew that it should not be neglected. Yet we could get nothing to relieve him. Finally I read somewhere that Doan's Kidney Pills would prevent such occurrences and I procured a box. They have really been the means of strengthening the kidneys of the child and preventing the nocturnal urination. I am very grateful to Doan's Kidney Pills and I heartily recommend them to any mother having a child so afflicted. They will relieve the mother of an enormous amount of work and the child of so much embarrasment, besides performing a duty the parent owes the child to prevent it from growing up with weak kidneys."

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents or mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name, Doan's, and take no substitute.

WANT RECOGNITION

Franco-American Taxpayers' Association Holds Weekly Meetings Now.

PREPARING FOR CITY CAMPAIGN

Will Indorse No Candidate Till After the Conventions. Facts That Have Been Developed Regarding the French Element in This City.

The Franco-American Taxpayers' association held a meeting Thursday evening in its hall in Gatslick's block and discussed the local political situation. It was decided to endorse no candidate till after the nominations are made, and then the association will decide what to do. The meetings of the association are usually held fortnightly, but from now until after the city election they will be held once a week.

This organization is composed of Franco-American taxpayers and voters who feel that the time has come when the French citizens of the city should receive fuller recognition in local affairs than they have in the past. The association has 265 members and is steadily growing. It has been ascertained that the French people here own nearly one million dollars worth of property, that they constitute one fourth of the population and have about one fifth of the voters. They feel that these facts entitle them to recognition and that the recognition is pretty small when one school house janitor and one police officer constitute their sole representation on the list of the city's salaried officials, as is the case at present. The association has also looked up the records of the district court and city farm and find that the French people have furnished a smaller proportion of criminals and paupers than any other foreign element.

In view of these facts they feel that it is not only their right, but their duty, to make themselves felt in the city politics in a way that will bring to them the recognition to which they believe they are fairly entitled. They say they have no disposition to play a game grab or anything of the sort, but they want a voice in affairs proportionate to their, numerical and taxpaying capacity, and when they offer a suitable man for a public position they do not want him debarred on the ground that he is a Frenchman.

The organization is getting a good foothold and apparently the time is not far distant when it will be able to make itself distinctly felt in local politics.

GENEROUSLY GIVEN.

The Operatives of Eagle Mill Help an Unfortunate Fellow Workman.

The operatives of Eagle mill have shown an unfortunate fellow workman a great kindness that will long be remembered by him. George Isherwood of River street some weeks ago was severely injured by being caught in the shafting of the weave room in the Eagle mill. Since that time Mr. Isherwood has been able to do no work, and having a large family has found times very hard and discouraging. Last evening James Mitchell and William Duxbury, acting as a committee of the Eagle mill operatives, called at Mr Isherwood's home and left him a purse of $60, contributed by the fellow workmen of the injured man as well as by Col. John Bracewell. The recipient's gratitude was shown by the fact that his voice so far failed him that he could not express thanks. It was a generous and noble action on the part of the Eagle mill help.

REQUEST GRANTED.

Fitchburg Company Will Run Trains Over the Lebanon Springs Road.

The residents of Berlin and Petersburg have of late been untiring in their efforts to secure a resume of operations on that portion of the road extending from Bennington to South Berlin. Arthur Cowee of Troy and an extensive property owner of Berlin, has been the prime mover and the requests have been granted by Receiver Elnathan Sweet and trains will be running next week or the week following. The train service will consist of two trains each way, per day, running so that convenient connection may be made with the Fitchburg railroad at Petersburg Junction. At the present time the road is not in proper condition for travel but Mr. Cowee has raised a sufficient amount of money to furnish ties and make necessary repairs.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The Annual Meeting of the Association Wheelmen Held Thursday Evening.

The annual meeting of the Association Wheelmen was held at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, W. L. Pratt; vice president, Frank Watson; secretary and treasurer, George Taylor; captain F. W. G. Bartlett; first lieutenant, W. J. McNeil; second lieutenant, D. Graves; color bearer, Frank Rice; historian, C. H. Hubbard; bugler, Arthur Terry. The club has appointed Frank Watson, W. L. Pratt and T. G. Henderson a committee to arrange for the club's annual banquet December 8.

The Joyous Dance.

Division 10 hall on Eagle street will be filled with gayety many evenings this winter by Prof. M. V. Meade's dancing classes. If you have boys or girls send them. It will give the girls an idea of grace and tone down the manners of the boys. If you cannot dance, go yourself. Professor Meade is prepared to teach all the newest dances and will have excellent music in attendance. He will also have classes through the winter at Adams, Blackinton and Williamstown.

NOTRE DAME FAIR.

A List of the Articles Donated and Which Will be Drawn as Prizes.

The Notre Dame fair which is being held at the Odd Fellows' hall will probably not close Saturday. The work laid out is thought to be more than can be completed by the end of the week and probably one or more days next week will be added to the time.

The attraction at the fair Thursday night was the singing by the Accidental quartet of Adams, which added much to the other interesting features of the evening. The articles donated to the fair are as follows:

Quilt, Mrs George Gagnon; picture of Notre Dame school, Edwin T Barlow; tea cloths, Mrs Edward Bissaillon; linen spread, Mrs Owens; sick call outfit, Rev Fr Grenier; Queen sewing machine, D Beaulieu; barrel of flour, J Graudchamp; suit of clothes, Lonergan & Bissaillon; ton of coal, Eli Belanger; gold watch, Rev Fr Jeannette; rocking chair, paper rack, Rev Fr Grenier; miniature bureau, Miss Helen Brunelle; comforter, Mrs Alex Senecal; reclining chair, Children of Mary; top buggy, Alex Pecor; cuckoo clock, Dr Mignault; meerschaum pipe, N D Giroux; lady's hat, Mrs Chenett; Cardinal Taschereau's picture, Miss D Lanoue; Lafayette's picture, L G Lord; lamp, Mrs G Morin; niche, T Laforce; pudding dish, Mrs M Duchame; bed spread, Mrs John Stringer; bed spread, Mrs D Trudal; chenille table cloth, table cloth, George Vasseur; quilt, Mrs Roger Saulnier; barrel of crackers, D Girouard; barrel of crackers, J H Labrie; rocking chair, Miss Rosette; picture of Mgr Falue, C Bombadier; ton of coal, C H Gosselin; rug, G A Desmais; two pair of shoes, D Beauchamp; child's dress, Mrs Roch; picture of St Cecilia, A Labrie; picture of St Cecilia, Misses Robert; pair of shoes, C Durocher; child's hat, Mrs Thurston; parlor table, Mrs George Felix; bird cage, C Courchene; couch, F A Secor; lamp, Mrs Barsalon; doylies, Mrs D Ginchon; desk, J H Cody; gold bracelet, Mrs L Voghel; cushion, Mrs L Brien; Fr Jeannotte's picture, Yon & Morin; sick outfit, Miss E Lefevre of Troy; diamond ring, L Voghel.

There will be a 15-cent supper served at the fair Saturday evening from 5 and 7 o'clock.

A GREAT FOOTBALL GAME

To Be Played Thanksgiving Day at Baseball Park.

Thanksgiving morning at 11 o'clock the North Adams football team will play the Shelburne Falls team at the baseball park, Zylonite. The Shelburne Falls team is a very strong one and has not been defeated this year. It defeated the Amherst Aggies with ease. The team has been coached by Dr. Upton, the famous end of the University of Pennsylvania. The North Adams team has been coached and will be captained by John Ryan, last year's Williams captain, and will be strengthened by Chadwell of Williams and Robinson, the crack half-back of Worcester academy. The line-up of the North Adams team will be as follows: Chadwell, left end; Page, left tackle; O'Brien, left guard; Henley, center; Crowley, right guard; P. Ryan, right tackle; Keefe, right end; J. Ryan, quarter-back; Warren, Branch, Robinson, half-backs; Schouler, full-back. The North Adams team is a very strong one and an excellent game is assured. The grounds will be put in good shape and the game will be played so as to give a good view from the grand stand and bleachers.

Among the Merchants

Weber Bros. are ready to sell foot comfort to 300 women, misses and children in felt shoes and slippers at 39 and 49 cents a pair.

Dollar pocketbooks for 69 cents at Fountain's.

Bargains bristle, like new quills upon the fretful porcupine, in every line of Baime & Handler's clearance sale announcement.

You get what you ask for at TRANSCRIPT advertisers' stores, not "something just as good."

Don't have the Thanksgiving dinner spoilt by the overhanging thought that spoons or forks are going to run short. L. M. Barnes is showing a great assortment of all silverware at "depreciated prices.

Facts and figures only in Braman's ad—forceful facts and facinating figures.

Tried and true—"TRANSCRIPT want ads pay.

If you feel weak, dull and discouraged, you will find a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla will do you wonderful good.

Deviled crabs at Hosford's' for jaded appetites.

We have a fine supply of sorted hard wood, both sawed and split. Call, write or telephone T. W. Richmond's coal and wood office.

PROF. MEADE'S
Dancing... Academy.
35 Eagle Street.
(Classes now forming.)
Tuesday and Friday evenings reserved for private classes. Afternoon classes for misses and masters on Friday at 4.30, Children's classes Saturday at 2 p. m. All classes and private pupils instructed personally in all the latest dances. Private lessons can be arranged at any time when not engaged with classes. Out of town classes F. M. T. A. Hall, Blackinton, Monday afternoon and evening; G. A. R. Hall, Williamstown, Thursday evening. Excellent music at all classes.
Prof. M. V. Meade, Instructor.
Residence 9 High St. North Adams.

Massachusetts Civil Service.

The Massachusetts civil service commissioners are about to hold examinations for positions in the civil engineering forces of the cities of the Commonwealth, and are ready to receive applications from persons who wish to take the examinations.

Citizens of the United States, who have been residents of Massachusetts for the past year and of the city of North Adams for the six months last past, have a right to apply. Blank applications may be obtained of A. W. Chippendale, secretary of the board of civil service examiners for the city of North Adams.

The applications, after being properly filled out, must be sent to the civil service commissioners, state house, Boston.
WARREN P. DUDLEY,
Secretary.

BRIGHT CHILDREN

Munyon Looks Out for the Little Ones.

A MOTHER'S RESPONSIBILITY.

Munyon never forgets the children. He realizes a mother's responsibility and is ever ready to give her the benefit of his knowledge and experience. Munyon's Guide to Health, which may be obtained free from any druggist, is especially explicit in describing all children's diseases, and gives plain and complete instructions regarding their treatment. Sickness often comes suddenly, and every mother should be prepared by having MUNYON'S REMEDIES where

she can get them quickly. They are absolutely harmless, and so labeled there can be no mistake.

Munyon's Colic and Crying Baby Cure cures bilious colic, painter's colic in children, and griping pains of every description, promptly relieves hysteria, sleeplessness, pain from teething, and quiets crying babies. Munyon's Sore Throat Cure effects a prompt cure in diphtheria, and every form of sore throat. Munyon's Fever Cure will break any form of fever. It should be administered as soon as the fever appears. Munyon's Worm Cure causes the prompt removal of pin worms, anal worms, intestinal worms, and tape worms. Munyon's Whooping Cough Cure is thoroughly reliable. It relieves at once and cures promptly. Munyon's Croup Cure positively controls all forms of croup.

A separate cure for each disease. At all druggists, mostly 25 cents a vial. Personal letter to Prof. Munyon, 1,505 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa., answered with free medical advice for any disease.

Deviled crabs at Hosford's for jaded appetites.

Best coal, fresh supplies received every day. Orders promptly filled. Call, write or telephone T. W. Richmond's coal and wood office.

Huyler's
is really the only delicious and satisfactory Confectionery to pass to your guests after a dinner of
Thanksgiving
Leave an order now for a two-pound box fresh from factory at
Hasting's.

IT WILL
Pay You
or anyone else who thinks of purchasing Xmas gifts to examine our stock and prices. Never so many goods and never so low in price.

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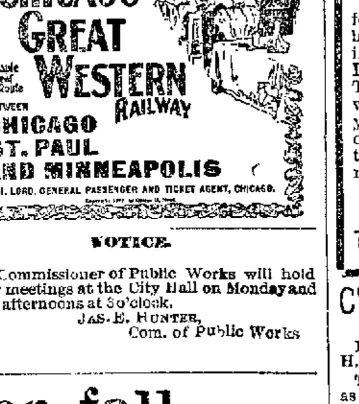

NOTICE.

The Commissioner of Public Works will hold regular meetings at the City Hall on Monday and Friday afternoons at 3 o'clock.
JAS. E. HUNTER,
Com. of Public Works

For fall and winter
our new samples have been received and embrace all new novelties and staples in
Fall and winter weights
Look over our samples before placing your order for a Winter Suit or Overcoat. Fit and satisfaction guaranteed. Repair work, pressing and making suits or overcoats from cloth furnished by patrons.
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Where
is the place to purchase Blank Books of all kinds?
Call at D. A. ANDERSON'S, at 75 Main Street, and you will find it.

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POCKET BOOKS
To make room for our Holiday Stock we propose to sell
1,000 Regular Dollar Pocket Books at----- 69c Each!
Beginning Today.
Be ready, for the best will go first.
Latest Fad in Stationery.
Usual price 35c a quire. Today only 19c.
FOUNTAIN, Bank St.

CUSHION SOLE SHOES.
"LIKE TREADING ON AIR."
Come in at any time and let us explain the advantages of the Cushion Sole Shoe, newly patented. It has an under sole of solid leather, then a thin layer of cork, and next to the foot a soft, comfortable cushion, incased in thin leather—yielding, but not bungling. It comes upon some of the most stylish shoes obtainable for men.
F. N. RAY, Op. Wilson House.

BARGAIN DAY
This week Saturday
Chocolate Roasted Almonds, 30c per lb.
New York Fruit and Sponge Cake 12c each.
McNeill, Caterer.

101 Main St.
Is the place to obtain only the best and finest selected assortment of staple and fancy groceries. The reputation of this store for QUALITY, VARIETY and QUANTITY needs no comment.
You will do well to look over our SUPPLIES before PURCHASING to trim up your TABLE for THANKSGIVING.
PRICES RIGHT.
LOOK FOR OUR AD MONDAY.
H. A. Sherman & Co.
101 MAIN STREET.

Copley Square Hotel
Huntington Ave., Cor. Exeter St., Boston
A new and elegantly appointed fireproof hotel. Pleasantly and conveniently located. One minute from Huntington Ave. Station, B. & A. R. R. Five to 8 minutes to shopping centers and places of amusement. Electric cars to all points pass the door.
ROOMS SINGLY OR EN SUITE WITH PRIVATE BATHS.
American plan, $3.50 per day and up.
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F. S. Risteen & Co.

WE ARE SHOWING A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
SUITINGS, OVERCOATINGS, and TROUSERINGS
for Winter of 1897 and 1898. They embrace everything on the market—both in fine Foreign and Domestic texture. If you need a reliable Suit, Overcoat or Trousers put together with the best workmanship, call on us. We can give you the best value for the least money of any house in the city. We guarantee all our work to be the best or your money refunded.
J. O'Brien & Co.,
TAILORS. 55 EAGLE ST.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
Berkshire, ss. Superior Court.
OCTOBER 26, A. D. 1897.
Lemon Thompson and al., plaintiffs, vs. Albert H. Barnes and al., defendants.
This is an action of contract to recover $2,000 as by writ on file, dated the tenth day of November, 1896.
It now appearing, upon the suggestion of the plaintiffs' counsel, and on the inspection of the officer's return, that the service of the writ in this case was defective and insufficient, and that no personal service was made upon the said Daniel E. La Dow, defendant.
It is now ordered that the plaintiff give notice to the said Daniel E. La Dow, defendant, of the pendency of this action, by causing an attested copy of this order to be published in the North Adams Transcript, a public newspaper printed at North Adams, in the county of Berkshire and state of Massachusetts, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be at least thirty days before the first Monday of January next, or by causing the defendant to be served with an attested copy of this order fourteen days at least before the first Monday of January next, that he may then and there appear and take upon himself the defence of this action. And that proceedings in this action be postponed until notice shall be given to the said Daniel E. La Dow, defendant, agreeably to this order.
FRANK H. CANDE, Clerk,
A true copy—attest:
FRANK H. CANDE, Clerk.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Alice McNally late of North Adams in the County of Berkshire, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased, are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
JAMES McNALLY, Executor.
106 South Church Street., North Adams, Mass.
November 13th, 1897.

COLUMBIA OPERA HOUSE.
WEDNESDAY, Nov. 26.
The Broadway Comedians,
World, Keller & Mack.
In the Rollicking Farce.
Town Topics
20—Star People—20
5—Great Comedians—5
10—Pretty Comediennes—10
200—Hearty Laughs—200
FUNNIEST COMEDY ON RECORD.
PRICES—35c, 50c and 75c. Seats on sale at Bartlett's drug store, Monday.

COLUMBIA OPERA HOUSE.
Saturday, November 20.
Charles E. Blaney's
"High-Geared" Farce
"A Railroad Ticket."
(Unlimited—for laughter.) The '97 Model Wheel of Merriment, presented by a superior register of comedy experts, headed by : : : :
BURT HAVERLY and LAURA BIGGER.
[Past three years starring in Hoyt's "A Trip to Chinatown."] A refreshing comic play, swept by ocean breezes of pure wit. The company, numbering 22, includes JAMES BEVINS, EDITH MURILLA, HARRY PORTER Everything positively "In Pace with the Calendar."
PRICES—35—50—75.
Seats on sale at Bartlett's, Thursday at 9 a. m.

COLUMBIA OPERA HOUSE.
ONE NIGHT,
MONDAY, November 22.
IT IS TO LAUGH.
D. H. TRUSS & CO.'S
Big Comedy Success,
THE TARRYTOWN WIDOW
A Magnificent Production! A Big Cast!
Including the Eminent Comedian,
Mr. Joseph Hart.
PRICES—35c, 50c and 75c. Seats on sale at Bartlett's drug store Friday at 9 a. m.

COLUMBIA OPERA HOUSE.
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26.
Return engagement of the legitimate Irish comedian,
Joseph Murphy
and his own company will appear in the companion drama to "Kerry Gow" entitled : : : : : : :
Shaun Rhue
Introducing Mr. Murphy's wonderfully successful song,
"A HANDFUL OF EARTH."
Prices—35—50—75c—$1.
Seats on sale at Bartlett's Wednesday.

SPECIAL NOTICE COLUMN.

ADVERTISEMENTS UNDER THIS HEADING ONE-HALF CENT A WORD A DAY. ADVS. OF LESS THAN 20 WORDS THREE DAYS FOR 25 CENTS. NO CHARGE LESS THAN 10 CENTS.

ROOMS AND BOARD.

A front room to rent; steam heat, gas and bath F. H. Whitlaw, 1 Chase av. t142-tf

Unfurnished rooms, steam heat, in Public Library building. Apply Edwin Gurney in Public Library building. 123 tf

A furnished room to rent 3 Ashland st. 118 tf

Rooms furnished or unfurnished. Bath connected and all modern conveniences. Inquire 6 Hall st. t87 tf

Two funished rooms with board. Steam heat and bath. 5 New Blackinton Bl.

Furnished rooms for gentlemen, with privilege of bath. Miss Mulqueen, 13 Center at Mead block, second floor. 3t 150

FOR SALE.

Upright Piano cheap, three pedals, latest style, terms easy. Address E. H. Robbins, 1627 5th avenue, Troy, N. Y. f 158 6t

Set of 30 volumes of Chas. Dudley Warner's "The World's Best Literature." 20 volumes now ready. Party will sell for $50. Inquire Transcript. s 146 tf

Brown horse, sound and kind, also carriage and harness cheap. 6 Pleasant st. t 146 6tx

Six acres of land with house and barn, east of Park ave. Inquire Charles Day or E. J. Moyle, 96 Main st. f 142 3tx

Horses. Have arrived with a carload of Northern Iowa horses, consisting of matched pairs, farm, draft and single horses. Have also several acclimated horses which I will sell low. W. A. Ballou.

LOST

A gentleman's glove. Reward for return to Transcript. tf 243

A blue enameled for get-me-not pin, with diamond centre. Reward will be given for its return to the Transcript. 1 131 tf

FOUND.

A bracelet on East Quincy street Sunday. Owner can have same by calling at 19 East Quincy street, proving property and paying for this advertisement. f150 3t stv

WANTED

Competent girl for general housework. Apply at 7 Quincy street. w150tf

Competent girl for general housework. Apply at 6 Quincy street. w150tf

Job by fireman and engineer. Best references. Address Jacob Morin, 4 Witt st., North Adams. w150t6x

A first-class girl for general housework. No others need apply. Good wages. Apply to Mrs. F. W. Richmond, opposite Normal school. 146 6t

A girl, competent, for general housework; good wages. Apply Mrs. A. P. Ramage, Monro Bridge, Mass. 114tf

Loggers on spruce in the Deerfield Valley.

TO RENT.

A tenement in the Postoffice block, hot and cold water with steam heat. Inquire of Clarence Gallup, North Adams Savings Bank bl.

A tenement. Apply 85 West Main street t 148 6 t x

A house, 74 Eagle Street, 10 rooms and bath. 148 5 t x

A small tenement to rent to a small family. Apply 146 East Main street. t 145 6t x

Tenement, 5 rooms, $8 per month, on State st. Apply 19 Pleasant st. 142-tf

A small tenement on Veazie st. Inquire at 1 Bank st. 137-tf

A 6-room tenement, Luther st. $14 per month. 1 5-room tenement, Potter pl. $12 per month. 1 6-room tenement, Lincoln st. $10 per month. Inquire at Beer & Dowlin's law office, Martin's block. t 12 tf

A cottage, 7 rooms, 36 East Quincy st. Mrs Emma Billings. 125 tf

A 7-room tenement. 50 Liberty st. 121 tf

A tenement at 14 East Quincy st. 7 rooms and heated. All modern improvements. Inquire S. J. Ellis. t 121 tf

A desirable 7-room house on Yale st. steam heat and electric light, $20. Harvey A. Gallup.

Two new 6-room flats, all modern improvements. Apply F. E. Pike, 46 East Quincy st.

A desirable tenement, ground flat Veazie st. Also steam heated apartment on Pleasant st. Call at Beer & Dowlin's office or Ralph M Dowlin's office, Pleasant st. 117 tf

Tenement in Arnold Place. Inquire at No. 3-4 Boland Block or 12 Church street. t 022

Desirable tenement on Glen avenue. H. A. Gallup, Boland block. t 55 tf

Two two tenement houses to rent with all modern conveniences, corner of Ashland and Hoosac streets. Inquire of Clarence W. Gallup, North Adams Savings bank block. t 22-tf

HOW TO MAKE MOMEY.

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AT ADAMS TODAY

Pleasant Smoke Talk.

At the smoke talk held in Odd Fellows hall Thursday evening by Court Adams, American Order of Foresters, there were about 200 Foresters and their friends present and there is no disputing the fact that it was the finest event of the kind ever held in town. The evening's program opened with remarks by Chairman O'Brien, who bade all a cordial welcome. Messrs. Wilbur and Vallie, two first class musicians, rendered instrumental music and songs were sung by a number of those present. A short intermission was held during which all enjoyed refreshments and cigars, furnished by Caterer Kelvin. After intermission more singing, recitations and instrumental music followed and Chief Ranger Pickett made some interesting remarks. Those who took part in the entertainment were Edward Riley, Dr. A. K. Boom, E. Wilbur and O. Vallie, George Mausert, O. F. Duggan, William Thomas, Charles Carlow, Harry Adams, Harry Smith, Peter Powers, Thomas F. Cassidy, Thomas Lacy, William Miner, Alex. MacDonald, Joseph Graval, Jr., and a few others. It was after 10 o'clock when all dispersed and went home after spending a most enjoyable evening.

To Deliver an Address.

In this issue of St. Mark's Monthly is the following item concerning the Young Men's club of the church:

"The Rev. William Wilberforce Newton, D. D., rector of St. Stephen's church, Pittsfield, has kindly consented to address our Young Men's club on some evening in the near future on "Personal Recollections of Henry George." The subject is one which will be of interest to us all and it is possible that the club may extend a general invitation to the public to attend. One of the features of the club during the winter will be to have prominent men from out of town for an occasional lecture or address.

Race Arranged.

A few days ago Alex Senecal issued a challenge to run George Conroy a 100 yards foot race. Thursday evening friends of Mr. Conroy and Mr. Senecal and his backers met at H. M. Fern's cigar store and a race was arranged for $50, with the privilege of making it $100. Daniel Dunn was made stakeholder and James Welsh referee. The race will take place at Zylonite a week from Saturday afternoon, rain or shine and the man failing to be present forfeits all money. The men are well matched and it is sure of being no "fake" race. It is probable Conroy's friends will make the race for $100.

For This Evening.

The first of a series of hops will be held in the opera house. Palmer's orchestra will furnish music.

The autumn festival of St. Thomas church will open in old St. Charles church. A comic farce entitled "The Limerick Boy" will be presented. A musicale will also be given. Admission 15 cents. Don't forget that a first class turkey dinner and supper will be served Saturday from 12 until 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon. Supper from 5 to 8. A number of fancy articles are also to be disposed of.

What People Asked for.

As has heretofore been stated a good many of the working people wished and some asked that higher studies be taught at night school. The wishes and requests have been granted and hereafter higher studies will be taught in night school at Renfrew. All those who wish to take the higher grade of studies should apply to Principal M. A. Arnold of the Renfrew school.

For Partridge.

Register F. R. Shaw and George E. Sayles of the First National bank, left Thursday afternoon for Arlington, Vt., where they intend to shoot 100 partridge or more. They drove with Register Shaw's driving team and took along the latter's pointer. It is an annual trip. The men shot 24 birds last year. They will return home next Monday.

In Flourishing Condition.

The Co-operative bank announced at its last meeting the fourth series of shares and already 153 have been taken. The total number of shares now held is 992 The series will be kept open until November 23 and can be had of the secretary and treasurer, Frank Hanlon. The bank has done well since its organization and is now in a very flourishing condition.

Championship Game.

A large number of people from this town have planned to attend the championship game of football to be played on Weston field, in Williamstown, Saturday afternoon. Williams will play Dartmouth, and there is no doubt that it will be a good game.

Died Suddenly.

Mrs. McNulty, who left here two weeks ago and went to her home in Peacedale, R. I., died there Wednesday, after a short illness. She was the mother of Mrs. Thomas Tulley of Burt street, with whom she had been visiting.

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To Play Football.

A game of football will be played at Forest park Saturday morning between the high school of this town and the Williamstown high school. The visitors have a good team and are well up in the tricks of the game, but the local boys will do their best to win.

Annual Christmas Sale.

The ladies of St. Mark's church are preparing for the annual Christmas sale which will be held at the parish house Tuesday, December 7. Like the others it will be a sale of fancy, useful and ornamental articles.

To Hold a Concert.

A concert for the benefit of the choir fund will be given at St. Mark's parish house Tuesday evening, December 7. A choice program is being arranged. Artists from Pittsfield and elsewhere will assist. Everything will be done to make it a success.

Mrs. Edward Dodge of the Country club of Pittsfield was entertained at the home of Mrs. C. H. Tower on Hoosac street a few days this week.

Dr. George J. Andler of Pittsfield is the guest of local friends.

R. N. Richmond of East street is to have his block on Summer street lighted by electricity.

A daughter was born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jenke.

The regular meeting of Corinthian chapter, R. A. M., was held in their hall in Bank block Thursday evening.

Dr. Donovan of St. Albans, N. Y., visited in this town Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Conroy, Jr., of Burt street has returned from a pleasant visit in Thornton, Conn.

There will be no school next Thursday or Friday, the former being Thanksgiving day.

The regular meeting of the N E O P will be held this evening.

Calnan's "Hudson Club" cigar, 5c.

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WILLIAMSTOWN.

Stone Road Done—Succeeding as an Artist. The Bridge Ride Postponed.

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George Rounds, the young man who was to attempt to ride his bicyle across the wire footbridge near the Clifford Danforth farm Thursday afternoon, as stated in this paper Tuesday, went to the bridge at the appointed time and was prepared for the venture, but his backers failed to put in an appearance. They are North Adams men and it is probable they were kept away by the heavy snow squall which came from the west at about 2 o'clock, when it looked as thought it might snow all the afternoon. A number of persons gathered to witness the daring feat and there was considerable disappointment. Before 3 o'clock the weather cleared and the conditions were all right, but in the absence of his backers, who have wagered $50, Mr. Rounds would do nothing farther than to postpone the event to next Tuesday afternoon. THE TRANSCRIPT's announcement that Mr. Rounds was to attempt this perilous feat has aroused much interest and various opinions are expressed as to his ability to perform it. The chances are that if the weather is pleasant Tuesday afternoon a good number will be present to witness the attempt.

Succeeding as an Artist.

An oil painting by Miss A. B. Smith has been admitted to the Academy of Design, which opens in New York next Monday for four weeks. It is a portrait of her father, W. F. Smith, and is considered a fine work of art by competent critics. Miss Smith studied in Paris three years and in New York about the same length of time, and has done some excellent work. To gain admission to the Academy of Design is no small accomplishment and Miss Smith's many friends here and elsewhere will be very glad to learn of her success.

Stone Road Done.

The road work on Cole avenue is finished so far as anything will be done this fall and the road roller has been shipped back to Brattleboro, Vt. The new road will need a little more work in the spring and may eventually be covered with top work. It is probable that the stone road will be extended to the depot next year.

Clifford Wood of Maple Grove, who some time ago struck Homer Pattison's horse with his whip while Mr. Pattison was passing him on the state road, settled the case out of court. The affair cost Mr. Wood $12.

Carl Smith has been confined to the house a few days by sickness.

The Congregational society will erect four gas lamps at the church, two at the front end and two to light the rear doors.

Bank Examiner Erving B. Sayles examined the Williamstown national bank Thursday and found its affairs in a very satisfactory condition.

Mrs. W. B. Clark is recovering from an attack of quinsy.

Miss Anna Brookman, teacher in room 1 in the high school building, is sick with the mumps, and Miss Elizabeth Whelden is teaching in her place.

The old folks' concert to be given at the Congregational church under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. will take place Wednesday evening, December 1.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Gavitt have returned from their wedding tour.

Patrick J. Kelly fell Wednesday at his home near the west cemetery and painfully injured his leg which was broken about a year ago.

The Bachelors' club will hold a dance this evening in the Father Mathew society's hall.

Jonathan Benjamin has built a substantial retaining wall between his place and George Scott's on Main street. The wall is about 150 feet long and six feet high. I was laid by Frank Morse.

The Dartmouth-Williams football gam will draw a crowd to Weston field Saturday afternoon if the weather is not too unpleasant.

Gale Hose company's package social and dance next Tuesday night will be held in Grange hall.

A sewer has been laid on the Riverside road between John Connery's place and Mr. Smith's. It is about 15 rods long and was finished today.

The last of the movable materials used in Cole's grove during the season were taken away Thursday.

Rev. Mr. Merrill of Middletown, Conn., is supplying the pulpit of St. John's church during the absence of the rector, Rev. Theodore Sedgwick, who is taking a few weeks' vacation.

POWNAL.

John Ryan left Monday for Long Island, where he will soon begin work.

A daughter was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis. Frank is a happy man.

Fred Babson has moved his meat market up nearer to his house. It is a great improvement.

Lewis Moon, our village shoemaker, is making quite an improvement on his shop.

The case of J. P. Ferguson will begin November 23.

A large number attended the Ladies' Aid society in the M. E. church Wednesday afternoon.

William Blair has returned from Pittsfield, where he has been serving a sentence of 60 days. He thinks that it has taught h'm a lesson.

Dr. J. W. Davis will be in North Pownal for dental work Thursday and Friday, November 18 and 19.

Try the peanuts roasted by F. Sutty of 81 Main street, North Adams, and sold at O. D. Card's tobacco and confectionery store.

NORTH POWNAL.

The saw mill and chair factory at North Petersburgh Thursday morning was destroyed by fire.

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Monogram Pure Rye Whiskey,	2 50
Monongahela Pure Rye and Bourbon Whiskey,	2 00
Pure Malt Whiskey,	3 00
Cider Brandy,	3 00
French White Whiskey,	4 00
Berlin Krummel German Whiskey,	2 50
Doherty's Pure Rye Whiskey,	3 50

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Bass Ale, pints, per doz. bottles,	$2.25
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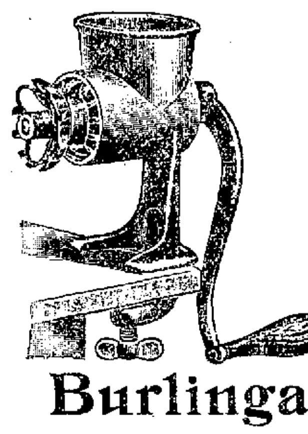

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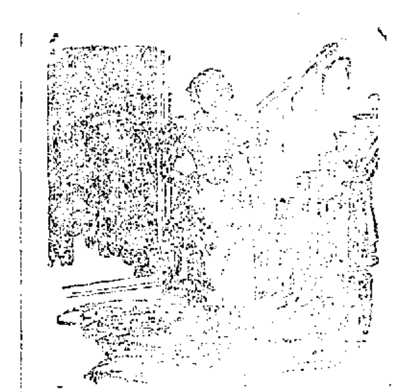

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Turkish towels, worth 15c for 10c.
Fine quality linen toweling, worth 12½c, now 7½c.
Heavy cotton crash toweling, was 5c, now 3½c.
45-inch bleached pillow casing, worth 12½c, now 9c.
Fruit of the loom cotton, 6c per yard, was 10c.

Infants' Wear.

A large assortment of infants' wear, including babies' long and short coats, bonnets, booties, knit jacques, woolen veils, mittens, muslin long dresses, will be sold at less than cost.

It will pay you to look at our blankets and comfortables, which we shall sell at greatly reduced rates. This is a good chance for you to get a good blanket at less than half price.

All our notions, hosiery, handkerchiefs and ribbons will be sold a great sacrifice.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear.

5 dozen muslin skirts, deep hamburg flounce, worth $1.25, now 98. Also skirts at 39c, 59c and 79c.
6 dozen ladies' night robes, latest patterns, were $1 39, now 98c.
5 dozen night robes, regular price 59c, now 39c.
Ladies' drawers, umbrella ruffles and hamburg trimmed, were 39c, now 19c.
50c corset covers for 39c.
39c corset covers for 19c.
19c corset covers for 9c.

Ladies' Cloaks and Capes.

If you are thinking of buying a new cloak or cape it would pay you to come and see our stock. We are going to sell them for less than cost, therefore giving you a bargain now. Instead of waiting till after the holidays to mark them we will do so now and give you the benefit of it. Coats from $3.75 to $15, and capes from $3.75 to $16, just one-half price.

Ladies' Waists and Skirts.

A large assortment of plaid waists, former price $1.39, marked down to 79c.
Flannel waists with white collars, were $1.39, now $1.19.
Ladies' ready made skirts, well made, at one-half price.

White, pink, red and blue eiderdown' value at 39c, now 19c.

Great Bargains in Ladies', Gents' and Children's Underwear.

Stamped goods from 5c to 25c.

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108 MAIN ST. NORTH ADAMS, MASS.

The People's Dental Parlors

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Best Set of Teeth $5.50

Painless Dentistry!

Teeth Extracted 25c. Gold Filling 75c.
Silver Filling 50c. Teeth Cleaning 50c.

Teeth extracted and filled by our scientific method, positively painless and exclusively ours. Remember we guarantee all work and are specialists. Money refunded if we cannot prove to you that we use only the best materials. Gold crowns with solid gold cusp $6. Crown and bridge work a specialty and in charge of an artist in the profession.

ALL WORK GUARANTEED 5 YEARS. LADY ATTENDANT.

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Grand Fall Exhibition of

Upholstery Goods, Curtain Materials, Portieres, and Wall Coverings.

A selection of up-to-date colorings and patterns, the choicest production of English, French, and German manufacturers. Represented in the collection are many materials of very moderate cost.

Furniture Warerooms,

283 River Street Troy, N. Y.

Good Homes and Splendid Investments

Among the bargains I have for sale I would call particular attention to the following.
8 room house and 1-4 acre of land on High view avenue;
3 new houses on Ashland street, one a two-tenement house.
Good lots on Ashland and Davenport sts, no grading or filling.
Several other desirable investments in other parts of the city.

E. J. CARY,
36 Ashland Street.
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Wringers
Carpet Sweepers
Furniture

to 18 Summer street to be repaired.

Chas. Winters.

VIEWS EXPRESSED

What Local Merchants Think of Trading Stamp Plan.

UNBIASED OPINIONS GIVEN

Those Who Are in the Agency Say it is a Good Thing. Both Sides Interviewed. Many Stamps Are Being Given Out.

A TRANSCRIPT representative has made a tour among the merchants of this city and interviewed some of those who are connected with the trading stamp agency and a few who are not. The reporter's questions were about as follows: What do you think of the criticisms that are prevalent about trading stamps? Do you like the plan and its results? Are you going to stay in it? Do you know of any legal steps against it?

The first merchant visited was Edwin Barnard of Barnard & Co. and his views were as follows. "I think that the criticisms in the various newspapers are wholly uncalled for. The business is on the same plan as that carried out by the co-operative stores. It is giving a certain percentage for cash. Moreover, there has just been a decision at Lowell in favor of the business. It has helped my business very much since it induces people to pay cash. It is also a good way of advertising. Most of the kicking is done by those who do not have contracts. I will stay in it for a year at least and know no legal steps being taken against it.

Mr. Isbell of the Wilson house drug store was the next man seen. He said that he had not noticed that the trading stamps made much difference, if any, in his business. He said a few customers would ask for the stamps. He supposed the business was all right, but had not paid much attention to what was said.

F. N. Ray was the next man seen. He said that the criticisms were uncalled for and unjust. The plan, in his opinion, was a capital one, since he had found it an excellent way to make people pay cash. He had signed a contract for a year and intended to stand by it. Let those people who were howling about its illegality prove their statements. The local agency were ready to stand by their patrons. Mr. Ray knew of no legal steps being taken against the concern locally.

W. J. Taylor, upon being interviewed, said that the talk and criticisms concerning the giving out of stamps was a lot of bosh. He agreed with Mr. Barnard that it was on the same plan as the co-operative business and therefore as legal. He had found it a way to induce people to pay cash for their purchases and said that a large part of his customers called for stamps. The number that called for stamps was increasing daily. He would continue with the agency and knew of no legal steps being taken against it in this city.

F. L. Tilton thought that the business was perfectly legal and although he would not see so great effects in his business as other merchants would, yet he had found it a good means of advertising and was satisfied with it as far as it had gone.

W. V. Burdett said that he thought there was no call for the many criticisms that had been made. He could see no reason why it was not perfectly legal and if it was not, let the proper authorities stop it. It pleased the large part of the buying public, and if they were satisfied then what is the use of opposing it? He found that people who were good creditors, but who would let their bills run a month or more, were paying cash. A large part of his trade called for the stamps and he was satisfied with the scheme.

Fred D. Richmond of W. E. Penniman & Co., said that he had not given out any stamps since he had read the criticisms in different papers the last few days, having decided to see if any legal steps would be taken. So far as the business went he found it a good way to induce customers to make cash purchases. It had not brought his firm any perceptible number of new customers, yet he was satisfied with it and would keep to his contract.

John A. Rice took about the same view of the plan as Mr. Isbell. He said that in his business it was different from others and that the plan in his mind was a way of advertising and he didn't see why it was not as good as any other. There was not a large call for the stamps at his store.

The following which appeared in Weber Bros' advertisement in this paper last week, expresses the opinion of Elmer E. Dutton of that firm on the subject: "We being the first merchants approached by this concern to take this scheme now located in this city and with headquarters in another state, deem it our duty to inform the public why it is not what they ought to encourage.

"If you ignore the merchants who are trying to do a straightforward business, giving you your money's worth in goods, and buy of the firms only who have affiliated themselves with this 'trading stamp' scheme, and have signed a contract to pay over to the 'Trading Stamp' Co. for one year, payable every Monday morning, 5 per cent. of their cash business, to be governed by the amount of trading stamps given away every week, hundreds of dollars—yes, perhaps thousands, will be taken out of your city by this 'trading stamp' scheme company every week.

"We ask you, is it right for you to help make money scarce in your own city? You do it, and you could not do it better if you voted that way. Furthermore, a merchant can advance the price of his goods, well knowing you expect a 'coupon' to help get some article from this 'Trading Stamp' company which you could buy from some merchant in your own city, and he would use that money for himself, and perhaps the city of North Adams might be benefited by it.

"Lastly, trade with the merchants you know are not affiliated with this stamp concern. Don't help to send money out of the city. It's not right."

We have just received a new supply of extra fine quality of hay. Call, write or telephone T. W. Richmond's coal and wood office.

Best coal, fresh supplies received every day. Orders promptly filled. Call, write or telephone T. W. Richmond's coal and wood office.

A LOCAL JOSH BILLINGS.

How He Views the Mayoralty Situation and Mr. Hamer's Ability.

The following communication has been sent to THE TRANSCRIPT, and while its orthography is not perfect yet there is a sense of humor pervading the writer's view of the situation that should not be lost to the world, nor the good sense hidden under the veneering of fun.

We Hold the Western
Gateway, We Do.

—FIRST WARD.

NORTH ADAMS, November 18, 1897.

MISTER EDITOR:—I hev red sevural of yore editorials, and uther things in yore libelyus sheat and hev come to the conclushun that yu wood beet our glorius, hi-minded canderdate if yu cood; but I wood like to resun with yu if yu hav eny resun and sho yu why yu are rong and if yu dont agree with mo then yu are a mean kuss.

Furst. Mr. Hamer ort to be mayer becos he hes grate brane power; Mr. Biam's paper ses so and Mr. Biam noes for he lived in Roam and is a jedge of branes.

Secund. Becos he is onist; Mr Barber ses so and Mr Barber hes had a grate eal of xperiunce with onisty.

Thurd. Hee's fur the peepel; Mr. Keese ses so and hees hed a grate eal to do with the peepel for I hev often seen his name in the papers where it sed Commonwealth vs. Elmer Keese and when Elmer ses a thing it is so fur he wunt ly. And Mr. Hamer ses hees agin awl publick improvments and es soon es hees mayor heel stop em, and that will give the poor man a chance to rest. Ever sense Hoton has been mayer hees hed gun kind uf work goin on awl the time and the poor men are awl tired out.

Forth. Hees smart; wasent he the one to find out that the grounds around the skule houses wasent level and that the Burlin brige Co. hadent giv no bonds neither hed Lally or VanKampen. Dident he find out thet the folks on Marshal streat hed built thare housens in the rode and hadent West Mane streat been shrinkin in wedth for the last forty yeers. He and Mr. Barber doant beleeve in croudin the street, see how fur he bilt his house back frum the streat and Mr. Barber bilt his tanery way back and only put the little stoars and peenut stands on the sidewalk. Now we doant want enny moar sech bossin and financeerin as Hoton hes done; dident he git the wring to bi his old barn and beet the grand army out of it, fur the old solgers wanted it at the saim price, so you see he doant care fur the veturans. Then he hired Hunter and he wus to give his hull time to the city and thare aint a du that he doant go doun to his masheen shop fur an ower or to. I no this is a fact fur a merchant on mane told me so, and Hunter built the suer on beever streat at an owful expence and soald the stoan that cum out of the ditch too cheep. And Hoton aint no financeer he doant no how to talk care of his oan munny. Dident he give his last yeers sallery as mayer to the hospital and doant he talk munny out of his oan pocket to pa an extra price to som of the city offishuls when he cood hier cheeper men jest as well? and ain't he squanderin $10,000 on the nu library which looked awl rite befour. I ain't got time to rite any moar now but will in a fue dais. We doant want Hoton nor Hunter nor Curns nor Kady but we do want Hamer. You sa that Hamer is to little to fit the maers ohare; a flee or a bedbug is little but tha make the big men hussel.

WEST END.

COMMUNICATION.

Save the Boys From the Saloon Curse

EDITOR TRANSCRIPT:—In all the excitement that is manifest in regard to mayoralty candidacy there is not a word said about the license question in the coming election. Are the people of North Adams to sit idly by and let the issue of this campaign go by without at least a protest being made against the licensing of these hell holes? Save the boys! Are the shining examples of American manhood—the North Adams saloon-keeper—to be held up as a standard for our boys to emulate when they reach manhood? God forbid! Gamblers, prize-fighters, cock-fighters and licentious libertines of the worst class. Save our boys from such examples. Wipe out for one year at least the cause of our poorhouses and our jails. Election is but a short time away and yet from the pulpit and press of this city not a word is heard in condemnation or opposition to this nefarious business. Save our boys! What are the pastors of the churches of North Adams to say when the Lord asks them to render an account of their stewardship? Have they done their duty by their flocks, when they allow 19 hell-holes of vice, degradation and depravity to exist in this city. Save the boys! The head devils of the hell-holes with their diamond pins and rings and fast horses, and prize-fighters, and all such assessories of their vices are some of the things that go to poison the intellect of our boys and may be the means of shaping their childish minds to bad. Let the press and pulpit take hold.

"Righteousness exalteth a nation." And so it does a city, and when this city is willing to surrender to the liquor curse without even a protest, its moral character is decaying. Mr. Editor, will you not put THE TRANSCRIPT in the forefront of the righteous cause of no-license?

NO-LICENSE.

THREE EXCELLENT COMEDIES.

To Be Given at Columbia Opera House in the Next Week.

The patrons of Columbia opera house will be favored with three of the best comedies ever seen in this city during the next few days. Saturday evening's attraction will be Blaney's "A Railroad Ticket," with Laura Biggar and Burt Haverly, for three years stars in Hoyt's "A Trip to Chinatown," and a company of 22 people. Monday evening D. W. Truss, manager of "Wang" and "Alabama," will present his new comedy, "A Tarrytown Widow," with Joseph Hart and one of the best company of comedians ever seen here in the cast. Wednesday evening World, Kellar and Mack in "Town Topics," will be the attraction. This is a very strong comedy, and has the reputation of playing more return dates than any company on the road.

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Special Sale of Felt Sole Slippers!

300 pairs now on sale and the prices are lower than any "would be" competitors in this city would sell them!

49c Ladies' black felt lace shoes and slippers, with felt soles, sizes 3 to 8.....**49c.**

39c Misses' and Children's black felt slippers, with felt soles, sizes 6 to 2.....**39c.**

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The following merchants are now ready to deliver stamps to all who trade with them:

NORTH ADAMS.

Art Goods.
E M Dickinson, 96 Main
F L Tilton, 87 Main

Bicycles.
E Vadnais, 44 Center

Books and Stationery.
F G Fountain, Bank street

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers.
H P Murdock, 7 Eagle
F N Ray, 1 Burlington Block, Main st

Carpets, Rugs, Etc.
J H Cody, 22 to 30 Eagle

Carriages and Sleighs.
E Vadnais, 44 Center

Cigars, Tobacco and Smokers' Articles.
T M Calnan, 56 Eagle
J F Collins, 48 State

Cloaks, Suits and Furs.
New York Cloak and Suit Co., 29 Eagle.

Clothing.
Barnard & Co., Blackinton Block

Coal.
Wm C Baxter & Co., 53 Holden

Confectionery.
W J McNeill, 38 Eagle and 93 Main
F L Tilton, 87 Main

Crockery, Glass and Lamps.
J H Cody, 22 to 30 Eagle
Tower & Porter, 34 Eagle

Domestic Goods.
Boston Store (W J Taylor), Blackinton Block, Main st

Dress Goods.
Boston Store (W J Taylor), Blackinton Block, Main st

Dry Goods.
Boston Store (W J Taylor), Blackinton Block, Main st

Druggists.
J H Krum, Jr., Chase Block, River st
J A Rice, corner Main and Eagle
Wilson House Drug Store, Wilson House Block) Hamblin & Isbell).

Dyeing and Cleaning.
I M Blanchard, 28 Eagle

Fancy Goods and Notions.
Boston Store (W J Taylor), Blackinton Block, Main st

Fish, Oysters and Clams.
W R Kezer, 49 Holden

Furniture.
J H Cody, 22 to 30 Eagle

Furs, Dyeing and Cleaning.
Barnard & Co., Blackinton Block

Furs, Robes, Gloves.
F N Ray, 1 Burlingame Block, Main st

Gents' Furnishers.
Barnard & Co., Blackinton Block

Groceries and Provisions.
F C Benson, Market, Marshall
Wm Dodd, 2 East Union
A A Lee, 140 Eagle
W H Reynolds, 51 Brooklyn
H A Sherman, 101 Main
N E Underwood, 59 Center
Geo Benoit, 36 Washington ave

Hardware.
E B Penniman & Co., 98 Main

Harness, Whips, Robes, Blankets, Etc.
E Vadnais, 44 Center

Hatters.
Barnard & Co., Blackinton Block

House Furnishing Goods.
Tower & Porter, 34 Eagle

Interior Decorations.
Valentine Bros., 107 Main

Jackets and Capes.
Boston Store (W J Taylor), Blackinton Block, Main st

Jewelry.
E M Dickinson, 96 Main

Ladies' Underwear, Hosiery, Etc.
Boston Store (W J Taylor), Blackinton Block, Main st

Laundries.
North Adams Steam Laundry (R L Henry, prop.), Bank st

Livery, Sale and Boarding Stables.
J H Flagg, 57 Main

Mackintoshes.
New York Cloak and Suit Co., 29 Eagle

Meats and Provisions.
City Market, T S Bateman
C Mausert: cor North and Brooklyn
Stockwell & Rosston, 22 Main
Washington Market, 38 Washington ave (Enos Ruether)

Merchant Tailors.
Barnard & Co., Blackinton Block

Millinery.
W S Southwick, Davenport Block, Main st

Mill Supplies.
E B Penniman & Co., 98 Main

Newsdealers.
F L Tilton, 87 Main

Opticians.
E M Dickinson, 96 Main

Paints and Oils.
E B Penniman & Co., 98 Main

Photographers.
New York Studio (H G Brown, Mgr.) 85 Main
W S Ludden, Center

Pianos, Organs and Musical Merchandise.
W S Underwood, 2 Holden

Picture Framing.
E M Dickinson, 96 Main

Real Estate and Insurance.
Cesar Cesana, Boland Block, Bank st

Seeds.
E B Penniman & Co., 98 Main

Sewing Machines.
W S Underwood, 2 Holden

Silk Waists and Skirts.
New York Cloak and Suit Co., 29 Eagle

Sporting Goods.
F L Tilton, 87 Main

Stationery.
E M Dickinson, 96 Main
F L Tilton, 87 Main

Stoves and Ranges.
J H Cody, 22 to 30 Eagle
Tower & Porter, 34 Eagle

Toys.
F G Fountain, Bank

Trucking, Piano and Furniture Moving.
Arnum & Formhals, 2 Holden

Trunks and Bags.
Barnard & Co., Blackinton Block
F N Ray, Burlingame Block, Main st

Umbrellas and Canes.
Barnard & Co., Blackinton Block
F N Ray, Burlingame Block, Main st

Wall Paper and Window Shades.
Valentine Bros, 107 Main

ADAMS.

Baker, Confectioner and Caterer.
John Hammond, 31 Park

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers.
J E Casey, Jones' Block, Park st

Carpets and Oil Cloths.
A H Simmons

Coal, Wood, Hay and Straw.
D B Cook, 6 Maple

Dentist.
Dr W F O'Malley, Jones' Block, Park st

Drugs, Hardware, Paints and Oils.
F E Mole

Dry Goods, Corsets, Underwear, Curtains and Draperies.
W B Green's Park st store

Fish and Oysters.
J M Montgomery, 1 Pleasant

Gents' Furnishings.
C E Legate

Grocers.
E W Streeter & Son, 31 Commercial

Livery Stable.
J M Montgomery, 1 Pleasant

Meats and Provisions.
J P Flaherty, Myrtle

Merchant Tailors.
C E Legate
J R O'Brien, 83 Park

Millinery, Five and Ten Cent Goods.
N M Whitcher, 88 Park

Newsdealer and Stationer.
F L Snow, 24 Center

Photographers.
W D Parsons

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A H Simmons

Wall Paper and Window Shades.
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